

LISTING OF CLAIMS

The following claims shall replace the currently pending claims.

1. – 9. (Previously cancelled)

10. (Currently Amended) A method for inducing a therapeutic immune response in a patient who has already previously experienced an allergic response, comprising delivering one or more smooth, spherical, colloidal particles comprising calcium phosphate, a surface modifying agent ~~having an allergen~~ at least partially coating the particle, and an allergen at least partially coating the surface modifying agent ~~or impregnating the particles or both~~, to the patient in need thereof.

11. (Original) The method of claim 10, wherein the particle is delivered subcutaneously, through inhalation, or across a mucosal surface.

12. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 10, wherein the particle is complexed with a pharmaceutically acceptable excipient and delivered as a spray, an aerosol, an ointment, an eye drop, a gel, a suspension, a capsule, a suppository, an impregnated tampon, a buccal, sublingual, or oral formula, or combinations thereof.

13. – 26. (Previously cancelled)